AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (currently amended): A vibration propagation suppressing structure An attaching plate for attaching a speaker, the attaching plate comprising:

an attaching-plate; and

a vibration generating source attached to the attaching plate,

a hole in which the speaker is attached; and

wherein the attaching plate comprises a cutout portion formed in a vicinity of the vibration source hole, the cutout portion suppressing a propagation of vibration generated by the speaker.

- 2. (currently amended): The vibration propagation suppressing structure attaching plate as claimed in claim 1, wherein the vibration generating source speaker is attached to [[he]] the attaching plate with no gap there between.
- 3. (currently amended): The vibration propagation suppressing structure attaching plate as claimed in claimed 1, wherein the cutout portion is formed to surround at least partially the vibration generating source speaker.

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4. (currently amended): The vibration propagation suppressing structure attaching plate as claimed in claim 1, wherein the cutout portion is filled with a filler.

5. (currently amended): The vibration propagation suppressing structure attaching plate as claimed in claim 1, wherein the cutout portion is formed in a substantially arc shape.

6. (currently amended): The vibration propagation suppressing structure attaching plate as claimed in claim 1, wherein the cutout portion comprises a plurality of holes arranged intermittently.

7. (currently amended): The vibration propagation suppressing structure attaching plate as claimed in claim 6, wherein the cutout portion comprises:

a first cutout portion comprises comprising a plurality of holes arranged intermittently; and

a second cutout portion arranged on a vibration propagation path of a vibration propagates propagating between the holes of the first cutout portion.

8. (currently amended): The vibration propagation suppressing structure attaching plate as claimed in claim [[6]] 7, wherein the holes of the first cutout portion comprises a hole formed in a round shape.

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9. (currently amended): The vibration propagation suppressing structure attaching plate as claimed in claim 1, wherein the cutout portion comprises a fold-back portion in which the edge of the attaching plate is folded back to a rearside thereof.

10. (currently amended): The vibration propagation suppressing structure attaching plate as claimed in claim 1, wherein the vibration source comprises a speaker is configured to output a sound.

11. (currently amended): The vibration-propagation-suppressing-structure attaching plate as claimed in claim 1, wherein the attaching plate further comprises a panel provided on a door of a vehicle.